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DIRECTOR: WHITE HOUSE SITUATION ROOM

SUBJECT: THE MILITARY SITUATION IN CAMBODIA

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Counterattacking government forces are making steady progress in clearing Khmer Communist elements from Route 5 near the provincial capital of Kompong Chhang, some 50 miles northwest of Phnom Penh. The Communists, however, have launched renewed attacks near Siem Reap City in the far northwest and are continuing to shell and probe government defenses near Svay Rieng City, near the South Vietnamese border 60 miles southeast of Phnom Penh. A Mekong River resupply convoy made the run upriver to Phnom Penh without incident on October 3.

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